(c) Time overrun for some projects on GQ is mainly on account of

(i) Delay in land acquisition

(ii) Delay in shifting of utilities

(iii) Law and Order situation

(iv) Litigation

(v) Lengthening procurement procedure for externally aided projects,

(d)and (e) The projects are monitored as indicated below:

(i) The Supervision Consultant have been engaged for day to day monitoring of expenditure, progress and quality of works,

(ii) The Project Director of NHAI at Project Implementation Unit monitors project on daily basis,

(iii) NHAI headquarters monitors the projects through daily/weekly/ monthly reports and inspections,

(iv) The projects are also monitored by Hon'ble Minister of RT&H on a regular basis.

Accidents on National Highways

2686. SHRl SWARAJ KAUSHAL : Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) the total length of highways in the country, during the last five years, year-wise;

(b) the number of road accidents on the highways, during the last five years, year-wise;

(c) the number of lives lost each year during the last five years; and

(d) the medical facilities available on the highways for people injured in accidents?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRl SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK): (a) The total length of National Highways in the Country during the last five years is given below:—

Year	Length of National Highways (Kms.)
1998-1999	49585
1999-2000	52010
2000-2001	57737
2001-2002	58112
2002-2003	58112

(b) and (c) The State-wise details of road accidents and the number of lives lost on the National Highways during the years 1997,1998,1999, 2000 and 2001 are given in the enclosed Statement (See below).

(d) The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare provides assistance to the States/UTs under the Scheme of 'Assistance for capacity building' for up gradation of emergency services/trauma care facilities in hospitals including those located near the National Highways. Besides this Ministry also provides cranes and ambulances under National Highway Accident Relief Service Scheme to State Government/Non-Governmental Organizations for transporting Road accident victims to nearest place where medical facilities are available.

Statement

State-wise details of road accidents and lives lost on National Highways

Accidents on National Highways

Road Accidents

All India/States/UTs	.1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Andhra Pradesh	5679	8245	8518	7203	8626
Arunachal Pradesh	54	51	53	70	93
Assam	1584	1647	1754	1889	1927
Bihar	N.A.	N.A.	1899	2127	1167
Chhattisgarh	Included	in Madhya	Pradesh	2096	2597
Goa	886	1000	887	1091	1149
Gujarat	7071	7765	7758	1813	6738
Haryana	2316	2832	2779	2765	3033
Himachal Pradesh	661	1033	829	709	898
Jammu& Kashmir	567	2120	2112	2328	526
Jharkhand		Included in Bihar		1419	1392
Karnataka	8530	8275	9162	9605	N.A.
Kerala	7508	7212	7596	8512	10095
Madhya Pradesh	7587	7885	6783	5611	7164
Maharashtra	16473	15197	15343	16150	14269

All India/States/UTs.	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Manipur	161	192	214	217	208
Meghalaya	203	250	159	186	370
Mizoram	27	61	36	31	52
Nagaland	22	43	57	35	54
Orissa	2107	2353	2651	2784	2759
Punjab	1229	1160	1223	1268	1256
Rajasthan	6924	7219	6778	6718	7465
Sikkim	48	32	33	29	43
Tamil Nadu	13107	13731	16329	-18615	19881
Tripura	291	108	242	184	202
Uttaranchal		Included in	Uttar Pradesh	236	469
Uttar Pradesh	5648	5741	6442	6198	5790
West Bengal	3815	3130	2615	2443	2791(P)
A&N Islands	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Chandigarh	56	38	56	62	45
D&N Haveli	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Daman &Diu	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Delhi	1227	1155	1153	1277	1123
Lakshadweep	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Pondicherry	233	215	378	537	595
TOTAL :	94014(P)	98690(P)	103839	110508	102777(P)

N.A. = Not Available, P = Provisional

Persons Killed

All India/States/UTs.	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Andhra Pradesh	2228	3102	3273	2539	2815
Arunachal Pradesh	13	28	13	11	23
Assam	866	787	848	808	824
Bihar	N.A.	N.A.	842	727	442
Chhattisgarh		Included in Madhya Pradesh		363	382
Goa	111	107	96	110	112

All India/States/UTs	. 1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Gujarat	1590	1380	1241	1973	1275
Haryana	1110	1154	1137	1150	1178
Himachal Pradesh	181	292	209	159	273
Jammu& Kashmir	131	423	360	320	145
Jharkhand	Included in Bihar			493	677
Karnataka	1896	1947	2015	2185	N.A.
Kerala	851	826	876	945	1114
Madhya Pradesh	1506	1519	1480	1266	1557
Maharashtra	3197	3156	3181	3445	3318
Manipur	43	40	73	56	45
Meghalaya	100	87	78	66	101
Mizoram	12	39	16	33	43
Nagaland	15	10	13	33	23
Orissa	673	803	869	951	924
Punjab	938	859	887	823	861
Rajasthan	2078	2118	2313	2312	2455
Sikkim	10	10	10	8	11
Tamil Nadu	2775	3106	3639	4362	4407
Tripura	59	46	86	41	74
Uttaranchal	Included in Uttar Pradesh			142	321
Uttar Pradesh	3165	3318	3700	3418	3876
West Bengal	1843	1172	1069	1026	1389(P)
A&N Islands	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Chandigarh	25	14	21	22	9
D&N Haveli	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Daman &Diu	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Delhi	415	305	296	330	268
Lakshadweep	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Pondicherry	32	34	72	99	2
TOTAL	25863(P)	26682(P)	28713	30216	28944(P)

N.A. = Not Available, P = Provisional